NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

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SUBJECT: Filing of the Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 of the Public

Resources Code.

PROJECT TITLE: North Beach Cabins - Alternative Camping Project

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER: 2008121070

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PROJECT LOCATION: Leo Carrillo State Park, Los Angeles County, CA

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The project proposes to install 11 overnight cabins (up to 300 square feet each, 3,300 square feet total) on precast concrete blocks near and along the North Beach parking lot at Leo Carrillo State Beach. The cabins are proposed to provide an alternative camping experience and each would accommodate up to 4 people. The cabins will lack individual plumbing but will have electricity and outdoor amenities including a picnic and cooking area. Two of the cabins would be ADA compliant. The project also will require minor grading and clean up of debris, possible removal of an abandoned septic tank, and minor grading and removal of primarily non-native vegetation. To the greatest extent possible, the cabins will be constructed of materials that will blend well with the surrounding landscape and topography. The project may result in the loss of up to 26 parking spaces currently available for day use activities.

The California Department of Parks and Recreation has approved this project on October 5, 2009 and has made the following determinations:

1.		The project will not have a significant effect on the environment. The project will have a significant effect on the environment.
2.	\boxtimes	A Final Negative Declaration was prepared and adopted, pursuant to the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).
		A Final Environmental Impact Report has been completed in compliance with CEQA, and has been presented to the decision-making body of this Department for its independent review and consideration of the information, prior to approval of the project.
3.	Miti	gation measures ⊠were □were not made conditions of project approval.
4.	A S	tatement of Overriding Considerations
5.	Fin	dings
		R or Negative Declaration and record of project approval may be examined at the California tment of Parks and Recreation at the contact address listed above, on the website & by request

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Date Received for Filing

Steve Lehman, Deputy Director Acquisition and Development

October 5, 2009